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BY ECF

The Honorable Dale E. Ho United States District Court Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: Charles Taylor Limited v. Hebei Miaohong Metal Products Co. Inc., et al. Case No. 23-cv-1466

Dear Judge Ho:

This firm represents the plaintiff in the above-referenced matter, Charles Taylor Limited ("Plaintiff"). I write pursuant to Your Honor's Order dated October 17, 2023, directing Plaintiff to file on ECF a letter updating the Court on the status of this case. See CM/ECF Doc. No. 34.

Plaintiff filed its motion for default judgment against Defendants Hebei Miaohong Metal Products Co. Inc. and Pamela R. Johnston on August 18, 2023, after having previously filed a notice of voluntary dismissal of all other Defendants. See CM/ECF Doc. Nos. 20, 22, 29-33. For the reasons detailed in paragraph nine of my declaration in support of Plaintiff's motion for default judgment (CM/ECF Doc. No. 30), the notice of voluntary dismissal remains subject to the Court's approval.

Nothing further has occurred. The case has not settled or otherwise been terminated. There have been no communications with any Defendants subsequent to the filing of Plaintiff's motion for default judgment.

We thank the Court for its time and attention to this matter. Should Your Honor have any questions or require anything further, please let me know.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Stephen M. Plotnick

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